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: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR

DISPLAYING SPEECH RECOGNITION

PROGRESS

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AMENDMENT

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I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THIS PAPER IS BEING SENT BY U.S. MAIL, FIRST CLASS, TO THE

Sir:

This Amendment is in response to the Office Action mailed on June 19, 2002. Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend claims 1, 21 and 29 as follows:

1. (Thrice Amended) A method in a computer system for generating images on a display device, the method comprising:

> displaying an insertion marker at an insertion area on a display, the insertion area representing the location at which the user desires to provide input; and

> displaying a progress meter near the insertion area based on the location of the insertion marker, the progress meter quantitatively indicative of the amount of progress in decoding a speech input.